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	✓ 5,317,693	Cuenod et al.		JAN 21 1999
	✓ 5,329,625	Kannan et al.		
	✓ 5,337,413	Lui et al.	✓ 112	Group 2700
	✓ 5,386,567	Lien et al.		
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	✓ 5,574	McKinley		
	✓ 5,493,666	Fitch		
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	✓ 5,555,510	Versepuit et al.		
	✓ 5,564,024	Pemberton	✓ 112	
	✓ 5,568,610	Brown		
	✓ 5,579,491	Jeffries et al.	✓ 112	
	✓ 5,581,712	Herrman		
	✓ 5,588,144	Inoue et al.		
	✓ 5,606,672	Wade		
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	✓ 5,632,021	Jennings et al.		
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	5,664,119	09/02/97	Jeffries et al.		
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	5,696,970	12/09/97	Sandage et al.		Received
	5,726,506	03/10/98	Wood		JAN 21 1999
	5,740,378	04/14/98	Rehl et al.		
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	5,748,426	05/05/98	Bedingfield et al.		
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	5,784,576	07/21/98	Guthrie et al.		
	5,790,831	08/04/98	Lin et al.		
	5,793,987	08/11/98	Quackenbush et al.		
	5,794,035	08/11/98	Golub et al.		
	5,796,185	08/18/98	Takata et al.		
	5,796,981	08/18/98	Abudayyeh et al.		
	5,798,828	08/25/98	Thomas et al.		
	5,799,036	08/25/98	Staples		
	5,802,269	09/01/98	Poisner et al.		
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	B	4,672,535	06/09/87	Katzman et al.	364	200	
	C	4,769,764	09/06/88	Levanon	364	708	
	D	5,051,720	09/24/91	Kittirutsunetorn	340	310 R	
	E	5,157,663	10/20/92	Major et al.	371	9.1	
	F	5,253,348	10/12/93	Scalise	395	325	
	G	5,266,838	11/30/93	Gerner	307	19	
	H	5,432,946	07/11/95	Allard et al.	395	750	
	I	5,473,499	12/05/95	Weir	361	58	
	J	5,526,289	06/11/96	Dinh et al.	364	557	
	K	5,528,409	06/18/96	Cucci et al.	359	171	
	L	5,546,272	08/13/96	Moss et al.	361	687	
	M	5,559,764	09/24/96	Chen et al.	396	30	
	N	5,559,958	09/24/96	Farrand et al.	395	183.03	
	O	5,572,403	11/05/96	Mills	361	695	
	P	5,598,407	01/28/97	Bud et al.	370	330	
	Q	5,621,159	04/15/97	Brown et al.	73	9	
	R	5,622,221	04/22/97	Genga, Jr. et al.	165	208	
	S	5,652,892	07/29/97	Ugajin	395	750	
	T	5,671,371	09/23/97	Kondo et al.	395	306	
	U	5,737,708	04/07/98	Grob et al.	455	557	
	V	5,742,833	04/21/98	Dea et al.	395	750.05	
	W	5,752,164	05/12/98	Jones	455	33.1	
	X	5,778,197	07/07/98	Dunham	395	284	
	Y	5,787,459	07/28/98	Stallmo et al.	711	112	
	Z	5,790,775	08/04/98	Marks et al.	395	182.07	
	A1	5,796,580	08/18/98	Komatsu et al.	361	687	
	B1	5,802,305	09/01/98	McKaughan et al.	395	200.57	

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	D1	5,803,357	09/08/98	Lakin	236	78 B	
	E1	5,812,748	09/22/98	Ohran et al.	395	182.02	
	F1	5,821,596	10/13/98	Miu et al.	257	419	
	G1	5,835,719	11/10/98	Gibson et al.	395	200.51	
	H1	5,838,932	11/17/98	Alzien	395	308	
	I1	5,852,724	12/22/98	Glenn, II et al.	395	200.69	
	J1	5,864,653	01/26/99	Tavallaei et al.	315	181	
	K1	5,875,310	02/23/99	Buckland et al.	395	306	
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	4	Compaq Computer Corporation, Technology Brief, pp. 1-13, December 1996, "Where Do I Plug the Cable? Solving the Logical-Physical Slot Numbering Problem."

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